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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(i) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

The Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks Washington, D.C. U.S.A 20231

Dear Sir:

Re: United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/931,180

For: INTELLIGENT COMMUNICATION GATEWAY DEVICE

Filed: August 17, 2001 Applicant: Alexander et al

The applicant acknowledges receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted which was mailed on September 28, 2001. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is attached. At this time, the applicant encloses herewith the following:

- 1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted:
- 2. A Declaration as executed by the inventors;

Accordingly, enclosed herewith is the surcharge fee of \$65.00. If any additional fees are required, please withdraw them from our deposit account no. 02-2095 or credit any surcharge thereto.

This Response is accompanied by a request for a one month extension of time and therefore is timely filed.

Applicant claims small entity status as set out on the Fee Transmital Form. In view the claim for small entity, the applicant is entitled to pay the filing fee and the surcharge fee at the small entity rate. Accordingly, enclosed herewith is our cheque no. <u>4003</u> in the amount of \$490.00 which comprises the following:

Filing fee	\$370.00
Surcharge fee	65.00
One Month Extension of Time	55.00

Total \$490.00

If any additional fees are required, please withdraw them from our deposit account no. 02-2095 or credit any surcharge thereto.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the filing of this application is now complete.

Respectfully submitted,

Bhupinder S. Randhawa Registration No. 47,276

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#### **FEE TRANSMITTAL** Complete if Known 09/931,180 Application Number August 17, 2001 for FY 2002 Filing Date Alexander et al. First Named Inventor Patent fees are subject to annual revision. n/a **Examiner Name** Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 n/a Group Art Unit 490.00 **TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) 12430-5 Attorney Docket No.

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